

Research Administrators' Network Meeting

AGENDA

October 27, 2020

2:00-3:30 p.m.

Michigan League Ballroom

Webcast - <http://orsp.umich.edu/ran-meeting-live-stream>

Welcome & Introductions

Cathy Liebowitz, RAAC Communications Subcommittee Chair

Andrea Anderson and Linda Chadwick, Guest Emcees

Research Development Services

Jill Jividen, Director of Research Development, UMOR

Wellness at the University of Michigan

Colleen Greene, Senior Wellness Coordinator, MHealthy

Updates

Office of Research & Sponsored Projects - Craig Reynolds, Executive Director, ORSP

Sponsored Programs - Debbie Talley, Director, Sponsored Programs

ITS - Carolyn Pappas, ERP Business Systems Analyst Lead, ITS

Navigate & Professional Development - Chris DeVries, RAAC Project Manager

Closing Remarks

RAN schedule for the rest of this Academic Year:

<http://orsp.umich.edu/ran>

Ideas for a future meeting?

Contact ran-plans@umich.edu

Brought to you by the Research Administration Advisory Council (RAAC) Communications Subcommittee.



Welcome to RAN!

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Research Administrators' Network (RAN) Meeting

Welcome!

RAAC Communications Subcommittee

- Constance Colthorp (ORSP/Spon Progs)
- Cindy Dames (ORSP)
- Lori Deromedi (UMOR)
- Chris DeVries (ORSP/Spon Progs)
- Dan Green (LSA)
- Cathy Liebowitz (ISR)
- Amy Lingle (Engineering)
- Daniela Marchelletta (ORSP)
- Becky O'Brien (UMSI)
- Eric Ward (ORSP)
- Tina Wells (UMTRI)

Housekeeping

- This event is being recorded
- Participants' video and audio are automatically muted. Chat is disabled.
- Live captioning is turned on (you can disable this using your settings)
- You can submit questions via the Q&A function at the bottom of your screen.

Our agenda

- UMOR Staff Recognition Awards at 3:30 PM
- What we have planned for you today
 - Presentations from OVPR **Research Development Services** and **MHealthy**
 - Updates: ORSP, Sponsored Programs, ITS, Navigate, Professional Societies
 - Announcing ORSP's 100th Anniversary

Guest Emcees

- Andrea Anderson
 - Associate Director, ORSP

- Linda Chadwick
 - Assistant Director, ORSP



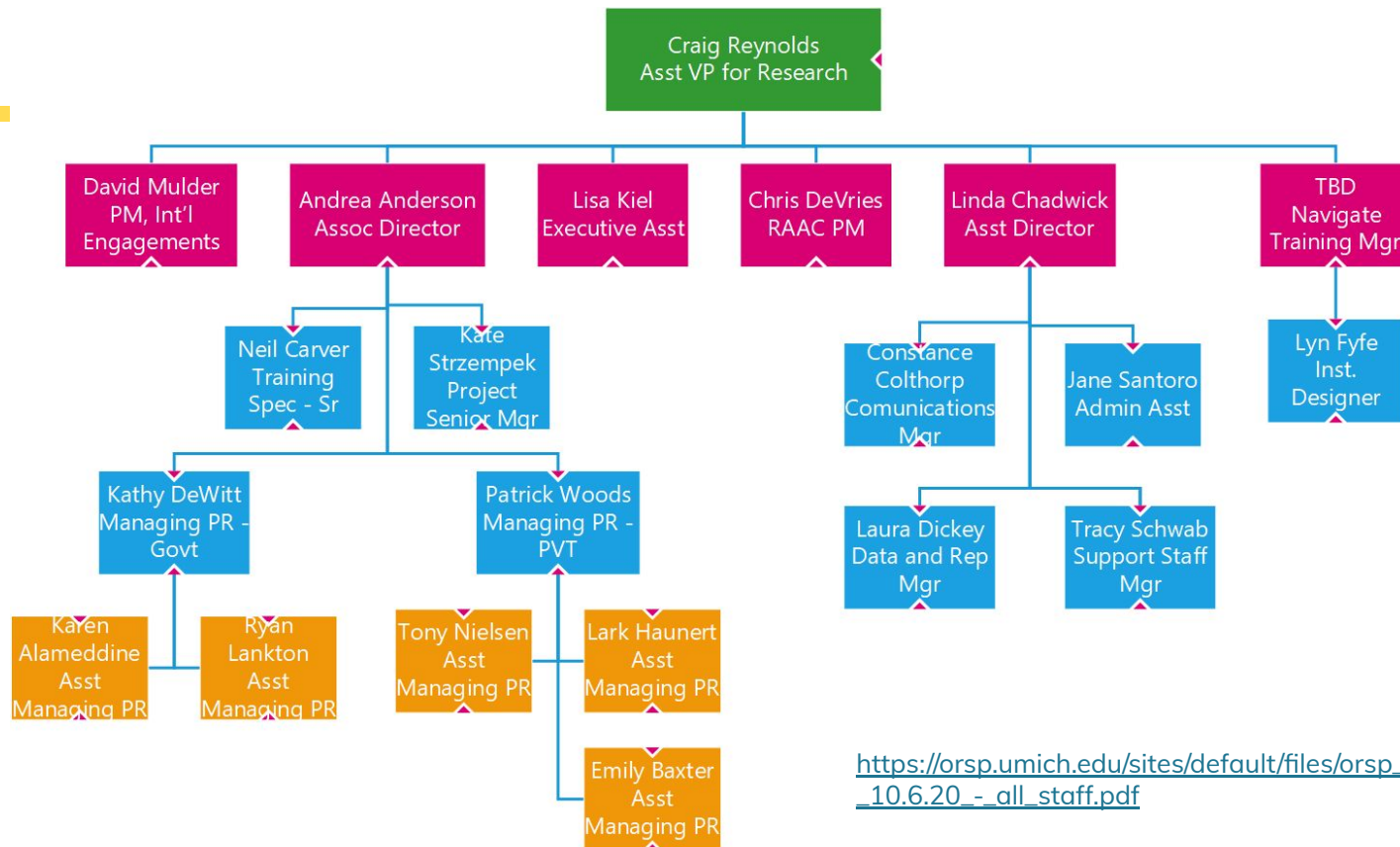
Andrea Anderson



Linda Chadwick

ORSP Organization

ORSP Organization Chart



https://orsp.umich.edu/sites/default/files/orsp_lucid_org_chart_10.6.20_-_all_staff.pdf

Andrea's Team

- Supports ORSP as the Associate Director, responsible for proposal and award management, process development, internal training, and keeping Craig from losing more hair.
- Project Representatives (PRs) are divided into two major teams:
 - Government Sponsors, led by Kathy Dewitt, Managing Project Representative
 - Private Sponsors, led by Patrick Woods, Managing Project Representative
- Ancillary Staff
 - Neil Carver, ORSP Training Specialist
 - Kate Strzempek, ORSP Project Senior Manager

Linda's Team

- Supports ORSP as the Unit Administrator, responsible for overall business management (HR, budget, building operations, etc.) and keeping Craig's hair from getting even more gray.
- Ancillary Team:
 - Communications, Constance Colthorp, Communication Manager
 - ORSP Metrics, led by Laura Dickey, Data Manager
 - ORSP Reception, Jane Santoro
- Support Staff Team, led by Tracy Schwab, Office Manager
 - Triage sponsor emails
 - Provides initial administrative check for incoming proposals
 - Initiates AWD/MOD processing for government and some private sponsor
 - Manages the RPPR, closeout, and sponsor registrations

**ORSP is
celebrating its
100th
Anniversary!**





Research Development Services

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Jill Jividen, Director of Research Development

Who are we?

- Office of the Vice President for Research
- Report to Nick Wigginton, Asst. Vice President for Research
- Research Development team
 - Jill Jividen, Director
 - Jesse Johnston, Sr. Research Development Officer
 - Tricia McCain Ebright, Grants & Awards Manager
 - Mindy Lowe, Project Coordinator

What do we do?

- Research development = workshops, programs, services, tools or resources to help researchers be more *strategic* and *competitive* in pursuing research funding
- Institutional (or unit) strategy for catalyzing interdisciplinary research and growing research capacity

Faculty Grants & Limited Submissions



- Longstanding UMOR programs & services
- Weekly Limited Submission announcements
- Manage ~300 Limited Submissions in FY20
- Process ~\$1M in internal grant funding

Workshops & Webinars



- 700+ faculty, staff, students & postdocs attended events in FY20
- Grantsmanship 101 webinar series launched in June
- Events hosted by OVPR & by request
- Topics include all aspects of grant writing, science communication, team science and more (ask us!)

Team Facilitations



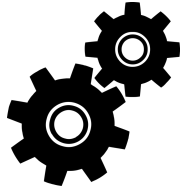
- Ideation/brainstorming sessions
- Proposal planning
- Strategic planning for teams/units (long-term)
- Building networks

Proposal Development & Editing



- Funding consultations
- Large-scale proposal support (project management, document & letter drafts, etc.)
- Pink/Red team reviews
- Editing services: free, by request (3-5 business days turnaround)

Building Resources



- UMOR Proposal Library
- NIH S10 Toolkit
- Freelance Editors list
- *Coming soon:* Facilities & Resources templates

Changes afoot

- Limited Submission Funding Opportunity announcements will transition from weekly emails to the *Research Blueprint* (shorter & bimonthly, starting **November 10**)
- Developing & launching new Faculty Grants & Awards program

What else are we working on?

- Increased support for faculty in the arts, humanities & social sciences
- Protocols for institutional honors/prizes (e.g., NRC awards)
- Better preparing faculty to pursue large-scale funding opportunities
- Enhancing institutional strategy for obtaining large center/institute grants
- Improving communication & collaboration across units
- DEI in research (diversity in review process, broadening participation)
- RA collaboration: *What PIs Need to Know about Budgets* (coming in 2021!)

Connect with RD

- **Email:** Jill Jividen (jjgoff@umich.edu)
- **Website:** research.umich.edu/research-development
- **Newsletter:** [Research Blueprint](#) (sign up for RD news, funding opportunities, upcoming events)
- **Limited Submissions:** [Current Opportunities](#)
- [UMOR Proposal Library](#)
- Grantsmanship 101 Webinar Series [recordings](#)
- **Upcoming event:** [Broader Impacts: Resources for Planning Successful Proposals & Projects](#) (webinar, November 20, 1-2:30 pm)

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Wellness at the University of Michigan

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Colleen Greene, Wellness Coordinator Senior

Well-Being

How would you define well being?



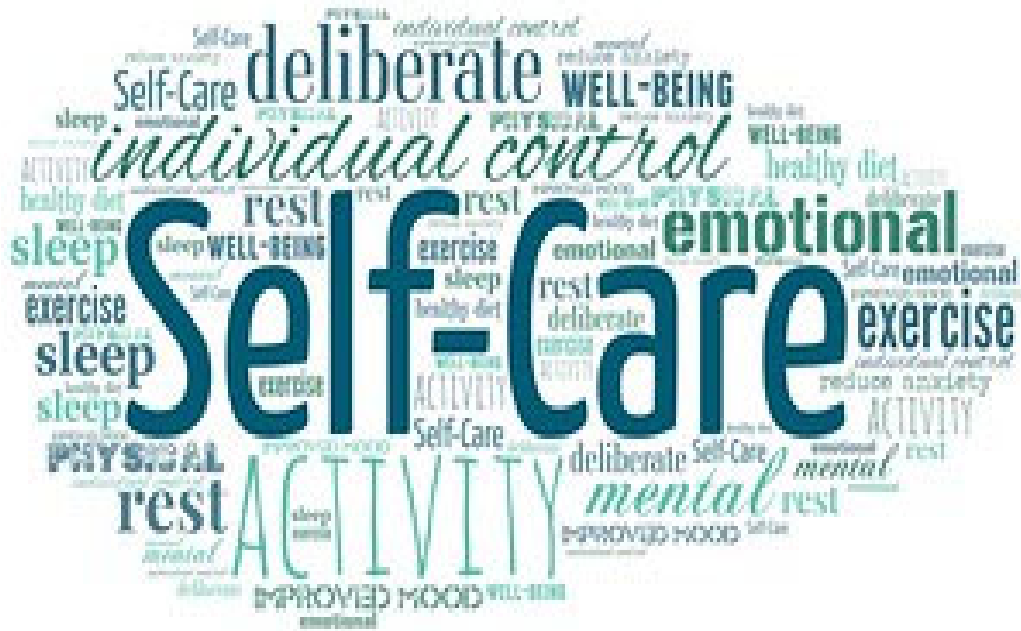
Philosophy of Well-Being

- ❑ **Physical:** Practicing healthy behaviors around physical activity, nutrition, sleep, substance use, preventive exams; managing chronic conditions
- ❑ **Emotional & Mental:** Thriving while fully experiencing the diverse range of human emotions, experiences and vulnerabilities
- ❑ **Environmental:** Living in, working in and contributing to safe, healthy, and sustainable environments
- ❑ **Financial:** Developing knowledge and skills for managing financial decisions
- ❑ **Occupational:** Achieving and sustaining personal satisfaction and enrichment from one's work
- ❑ **Social:** Developing a sense of connection and belonging, having a well-developed support system, and contributing to a healthy inclusive community
- ❑ **Intellectual:** Pursuing knowledge and skill development
- ❑ **Spiritual:** Expanding our sense of purpose and meaning in life



Self care

How would you define self care?



Definition of Self-care

The act of caring for oneself to maintain wellness and/or to prevent future illness or injury.

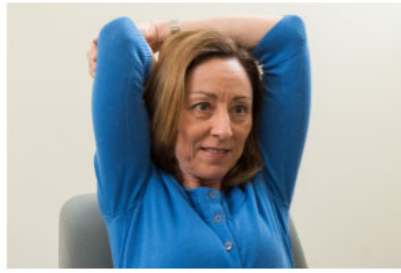
Self-care is not about self-indulgence, it's about self-preservation.

– Audrey Lorde

www.facebook.com/twuhealthstudies

Desk Stretches

Slowly pull elbow behind head until stretch is felt. Repeat with other elbow. Repeat 2 times, 1-2 sessions per day.



BACK

Standing with knees slightly bent, place your palms on lower back just above your hips, fingers pointing downward. Gently push your palms forward to create an extension in the lower back. Repeat twice. Use this stretch after sitting for an extended period of time.

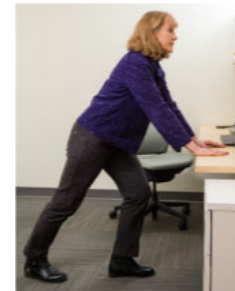


Sit with right leg bent over left leg and rest left hand on the outside of the upper thigh of the right leg. Now apply some controlled, steady pressure toward the left with your hand. As you do this, look over your right shoulder to get the stretch feeling. Repeat on the other side.



LEGS

Keeping back leg straight, with heel on floor, lean into wall until a stretch is felt in calf. Repeat with other leg. Repeat 2 times, 1-2 sessions per day.



Visualization



MHealthy Offerings

Faculty and Staff Well-Being

Physical Activity

Nutrition and Weight Management

Ergonomics Awareness

Alcohol and Tobacco Programs

Flu Shots

Chronic Health Conditions

MHealthy Rewards

Patient and Community

Project Healthy Schools

Services for Patients and Community

Services for Spouses, OQAs, and Retirees

More from MHealthy

About MHealthy

Resources for Managers

MHealthy Champions

MHealthy News and Events

Contact MHealthy

Choose your way to well-being



Thursdav. October 15. .

Just a Few MHealthy Offerings

- Resource Coach
- Healthy recipes
- Alcohol Management and Tobacco Consultation
- Mental and Emotional Wellness
- FREE virtual Exercise and Relaxation Classes

Workplace

universityofmichigan.workplace.com/groups/2302960193360786/

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Prioritized Groups

- Workplace Workout Instruc...
- B&F Positive Energizers 2020
- Working at U-M

Shortcuts

- Wolverine Tower Wellness ...

Groups

- Communicators' Forum 3
- Diversity, Equity & Inclu... 2



Working at U-M

Open Group · 1.8K members · Be informed. Be well. Be your best. ... See More

Add People

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About

Description
Be informed. Be well. Be your best.

Working at Michigan is your place to learn about the programs, services, and benef... See More

Chats

	<i>Monday 10/12/20</i>	<i>Tuesday 10/13/20</i>	<i>Wednesday 10/14/20</i>	<i>Thursday 10/15/20</i>	<i>Friday 10/16/20</i>
8:00 AM		Resistance Band with Colleen	Interval Strength with Brett	Stability Ball Class with Craig	
8:30 AM	Seated Movement and Flexibility with Colleen				
12:00 PM	Stretch and Strengthen with Diana	Meditation with Wendy	Healthy Back with Brett	Yoga with Brett	Zumba with Shannon
4:30 PM		Abs and Back with Craig	Zumba with Colleen	HIIT with Brett	
5:00 PM	Cardio Kickboxing with Isola				

We are all in this

TOGETHER



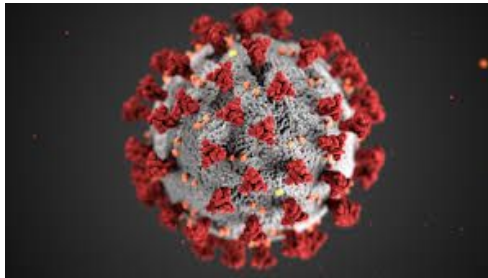
MHealthy Contact Info

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PIN Summary

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Query

All PAFs

All UPAAs

Contract Pending Action Awards

ACRs in Progress

Made in Progress

Cancelled/Terminated/Closed Awards

Filter

ID

Enter text to search for

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+ Add Filter

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ID	Name	Date Modified	State	PI	Dept	Sponsor	PR
AWD18051	RFP: Enhancing and Sustaining the Michigan Child Collaborative Care Model (Clinical FY18)	20/20/20 2:22 PM	Action	Swi	Psychiatry Child Services	Michigan State of Health and Human Services Department of	Hoggen
AWD07231	Research on the key technologies of optical welding processes for target metal facturing	20/20/20 2:22 PM	Contract Processing	Swi	Power Tech & Metals Dept	CS&C Industrial Institute Co., Ltd (C&C)	Lange



ORSP Update

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Craig Reynolds, Asst. Vice President for Research - Sponsored
Projects

Breaking News from the ORSP Command Center (formerly known as “My Basement”)

- New Staff
- Contacting ORSP Best Practices
- International Activities Review Pilot

Welcome to the Team



Ivana Tullett, Asst.
Project Rep.



Sabrina Wilson,
Admin. Asst.

Kudos to One Exceptional Team Member!



David Mulder

Best Practices for Communicating with ORSP

- Check locally first: your supervisor, unit research administrator, dean's office, etc. may have the answer!
- *Request ORSP Action* is still the preferred method
- Time-sensitive messages should describe consequences of being untimely
- ORSP phones not being forwarded to private numbers, per ITS
- Voicemails are computer-transcribed and forwarded via email

Best Practices for Communicating with ORSP

- Include the PAF, UFA, P/G or AWD number and the PI's name, along with a succinct description of the request
- Multiple communications are not helpful
- Multiple communications to different people aren't helpful
- Google Chat is actively discouraged

International Activities Review Pilot

- Federal proposal “Other Support” reviewed at submission, “Just In Time,” or award acceptance if investigator answers “yes” to an International Engagement question on “Sign PAF” activity
- PI/Project Team notified if “Other Support” or M-Inform need updating
- AWD record will move to the state of “Compliance Hold” if “Other Support Review” not complete when ORSP signs off the award
- Once review and updates complete, AWD status will change to “Green.”

Agency Updates

- Federally Prohibited Equipment and Services
- DoE 486.1A Foreign Government Talent Recruitment Programs

Federally Prohibited Equipment and Services

- Prohibition against purchasing or using services/equipment from Huawei Technologies, ZTE, Hytera Communications, Hangzhou Hikvision Digital Technology, Dahua Technology, or any subsidiary or affiliate of such entities.
- Applies to Grants and Contracts
 - [2 CFR §200.216](#) Prohibition on certain telecommunications and video surveillance services or equipment
 - [FAR 52.204-25](#) Prohibition on Contracting for Certain Telecommunications and Video Surveillance Services or Equipment



Sponsored Programs Update

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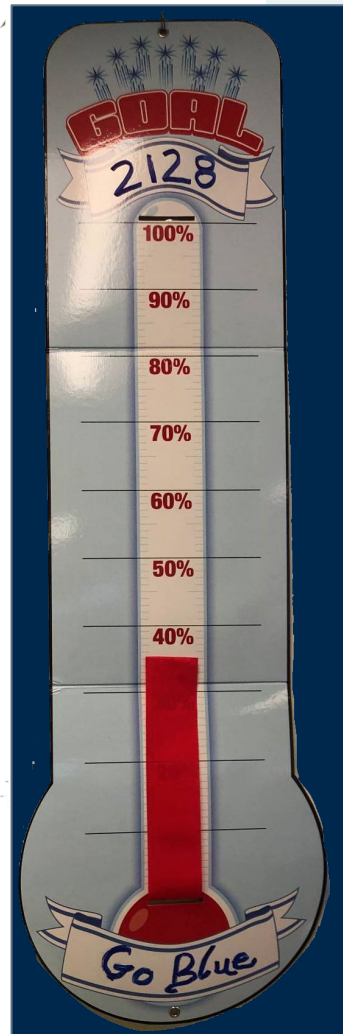
Debbie Talley, Director, Finance-Sponsored Programs

Audits



- Single audit update
- NSF audit
 - Covers 3/1 - 9/30/20
 - Implementation of OMB guidance during COVID-19

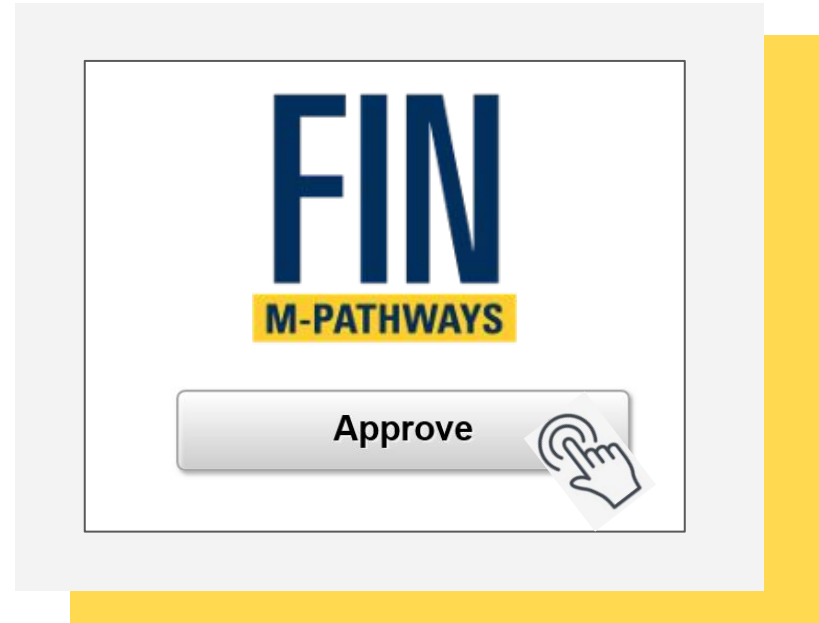
Financial Status Reports



- 2128 reports due
- We need your help
 - Review and return reports asap

Changes to OCA invoice process

- Concurrence Receipt (CR) process is changing on November 10, 2020
- Online workflow and approval for RAs/PIs
- Requires Duo
- PIs/PDs will no longer need to print the CR
- **Navigate Webinar** on this topic:
 - **Thursday, October 29 at 11:00 am.**
 - **Register by noon tomorrow.**



M-Pathways Financials System will be used for the **entire** subrecipient invoice approval process.



ITS Update

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Carolyn Pappas, ERP Business Systems Analyst Lead and
Acting BSA Supervisor

eResearch Framework Upgrade

- eResearch Proposal Management upgrade to Version 9.0 brings some user interface changes and navigation improvements. This impacts all projects in eRPM: PAF, Award, SF424, SUBK, UFA, AARs, etc.
- Scheduled for the weekend of November 20-21st.
 - Backup date is the weekend of December 5-6th.
- Status of other eRes system upgrades:
 - Regulatory Management and M-Inform - completed.
 - Animal Management - upcoming.

Overview of Changes

- Jump To is now Forms Menu
- Hide/Show errors is now Validate
- Pop-ups are Slide-ins
- Relocated Navigation Buttons
- Continue where you left off

The Forms Menu

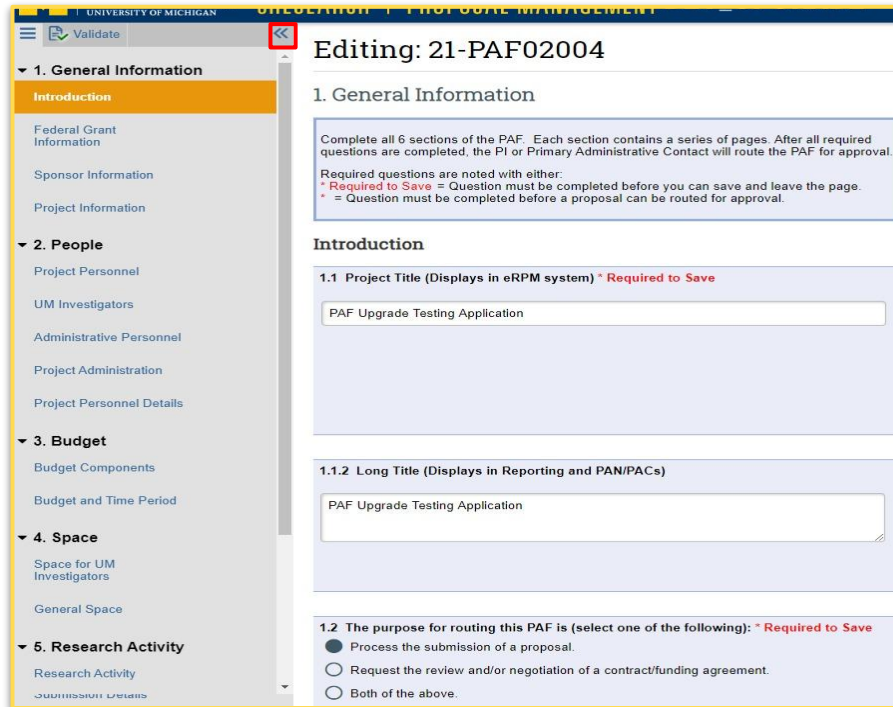
Old Look: Jump To at the top of a page



A screenshot of the 'Jump To' menu in the old look of the University of Michigan eRPM system. The menu is titled 'Jump To' with a back arrow icon. It lists the following sections and their sub-items:

- 1. General Information
 - Introduction
 - Sponsor Information
 - Project Information
- 2. People
 - Project Personnel
 - UM Investigators
 - Administrative Personnel
 - Project Administration
 - Project Personnel Details
- 3. Budget
 - Budget Components
 - Budget and Time Period
- 4. Space
 - Space for UM Investigators
 - General Space

New Look: Forms pages appear on the side of the page:



A screenshot of the 'Editing: 21-PAF02004' page in the new look of the University of Michigan eRPM system. The page is titled 'Editing: 21-PAF02004' and shows the '1. General Information' section. The left sidebar contains a 'Validate' button and a list of sections: 1. General Information, 2. People, 3. Budget, 4. Space, and 5. Research Activity. The main content area displays the 'Introduction' section with the following text:

Complete all 6 sections of the PAF. Each section contains a series of pages. After all required questions are completed, the PI or Primary Administrative Contact will route the PAF for approval.

Required questions are noted with either:
* Required to Save = Question must be completed before you can save and leave the page.
* = Question must be completed before a proposal can be routed for approval.

The 'Introduction' section includes the following questions:

- 1.1 Project Title (Displays in eRPM system) * Required to Save
PAF Upgrade Testing Application
- 1.1.2 Long Title (Displays in Reporting and PAN/PACs)
PAF Upgrade Testing Application
- 1.2 The purpose for routing this PAF is (select one of the following): * Required to Save
 - ☒ Process the submission of a proposal.
 - ☐ Request the review and/or negotiation of a contract/funding agreement.
 - ☐ Both of the above.

Validate

Old Look: Hide/Show errors appeared at the bottom of the page.

New Look: Referred to as “Validate” and appears on side of page.

Application Filing Name:

Following forms are optional, Please select any that you wish to include in your application:

Form Name
<input type="checkbox"/> HHS Checklist (08-2007) V4.0
<input type="checkbox"/> Research And Related Other Project Information V1.4
<input type="checkbox"/> SF424 R&R Multi Project Cover Page V2.0
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Research & Related Senior/Key Person Profile (Expanded) V3.0
<input type="checkbox"/> Research & Related Project/Performance Site Location(s) V3.0
<input type="checkbox"/> PHS Human Subjects and Clinical Trials Information V3.0
<input type="checkbox"/> Disclosure of Lobbying Activities (SF-LLL) V2.0
<input type="checkbox"/> USDA AD-1052 V2.0
<input type="checkbox"/> USDA AD-1049 V2.0
<input type="checkbox"/> NSF Senior Key Person Profile (Expanded) V2.0

Error/Warning Messages

Message	Field Name	Jump To
This is a required field; therefore, you must provide the required information.	Project Role	Research And Related Senior/Key
This is a required field; therefore, you must provide the required information.	BioSketchsAttached	Research And Related Senior/Key

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Editing: SF-42400029920

▼ PHS Human Subjects and Clinical Trials Information

▼ Human Specimen Data

Use of Human Specimens and/or Data

* Does any of the proposed research in the application involve human specimens and/or data?

☐ Yes ☒ No [Clear](#)

Provide an explanation for any use of human specimens and/or data not considered to be human subjects research.

[None] [Upload](#)

▼ Research & Related Other Project Information

Please complete the human subjects section of the Research & Related Other Project Information form prior to completing this form.

The following items are taken from the Research & Related Other Project Information form and displayed here for your reference. Any changes to these fields must be made on the Research & Related Other Project Information form and may impact the data items you are required to complete on this form.

Are Human Subjects Involved?

Yes

Is the Project Exempt from Federal regulations?

No

Exemption number:

▼ PHS Human Subjects and Clinical Trials Information

If No to Human Subjects

Skip the rest of the PHS Human Subjects and Clinical Trials Information Form.

If Yes to Human Subjects

Add a record for each proposed Human Subject Study by selecting 'Add New Study' or 'Add New Delayed Onset Study' as appropriate. Delayed onset studies are those for which there is no well-defined plan for human subject involvement at the time of submission, per agency policies on Delayed Onset Studies. For delayed onset studies, you will provide the study name and a justification for omission of human subjects study information.

Other Requested Information

[None] [Upload](#)

Slide Ins

The screenshot displays a web application interface with a 'Slide In' window titled 'Select Organization'. The background application is in the 'Editing' state for '21-PAF02004'. The left sidebar contains sections for '2. People', 'Project Administration', and '2.7 Project Administrative Home: *'. The 'Slide In' window has a 'Filter by' dropdown set to 'Organization' and a search bar. Below the search bar is a list of organizations, each with a radio button and an 'Org Parent' label. The list includes: 18500, 21300, 21530, 233538, 251800, 311222 RAHS CHINA, 327220, 41000, 44000, 45600, 60000, 654400, 678678, 681140, 70100, and 7W Adult BMT. The window has 'OK' and 'Cancel' buttons at the bottom right. The background application has 'Exit', 'Save', and 'Continue' buttons at the bottom right.

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2. People

Project Administration

2.7 Project Administrative Home: *

Surgery Department

2.8 Primary Administrative Contact: *

Carolyn Pappas

Clear

2.9 Primary Post-Award Contact: *

Carolyn Pappas

Clear

2.10 Project Representative: *

Select Organization

Filter by: Organization

Go Clear Advanced

Organization

Org Parent

18500

21300

21530

233538

251800

311222 RAHS CHINA

327220

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44000

45600

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7W Adult BMT

CE OOO Administration

OK Cancel

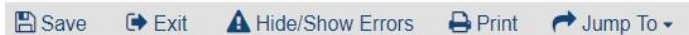
Exit Save Continue

- Add, Update, Browse buttons to enter information opened a pop up window.
- New format is to slide in from the right side of the screen.

Relocated Navigation Buttons

Old Look: At the bottom of page; required scrolling.

New : The Exit, Save, and Continue buttons float at the bottom-right corner of the smartform. They always display and there's no more scrolling to bottom of the page.



Editing: 21-PAF02004

Go to forms menu Print Help

1. General Information

Complete all 6 sections of the PAF. Each section contains a series of pages. After all required questions are completed, the PI or Primary Administrative Contact will route the PAF for approval. Required questions are noted with either:
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* = Question must be completed before a proposal can be routed for approval.

Introduction

1.1 Project Title (Displays in eRPM system) * Required to Save

PAF Upgrade Testing Application

HELP

Change the default Project Title to match the proposal title.

Limited to 256 characters.

Identifies the proposal in the system (e.g., listed in PAF Workspace, Home Workspace)

Additional Help

1.1.2 Long Title (Displays in Reporting and PAN/PACs)

PAF Upgrade Testing Application

HELP

As needed, capture the complete title. If left blank, it defaults to the Project Title the first time this page is saved.

Additional Help

1.2 The purpose for routing this PAF is (select one of the following): * Required to Save

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☐ Both of the above.

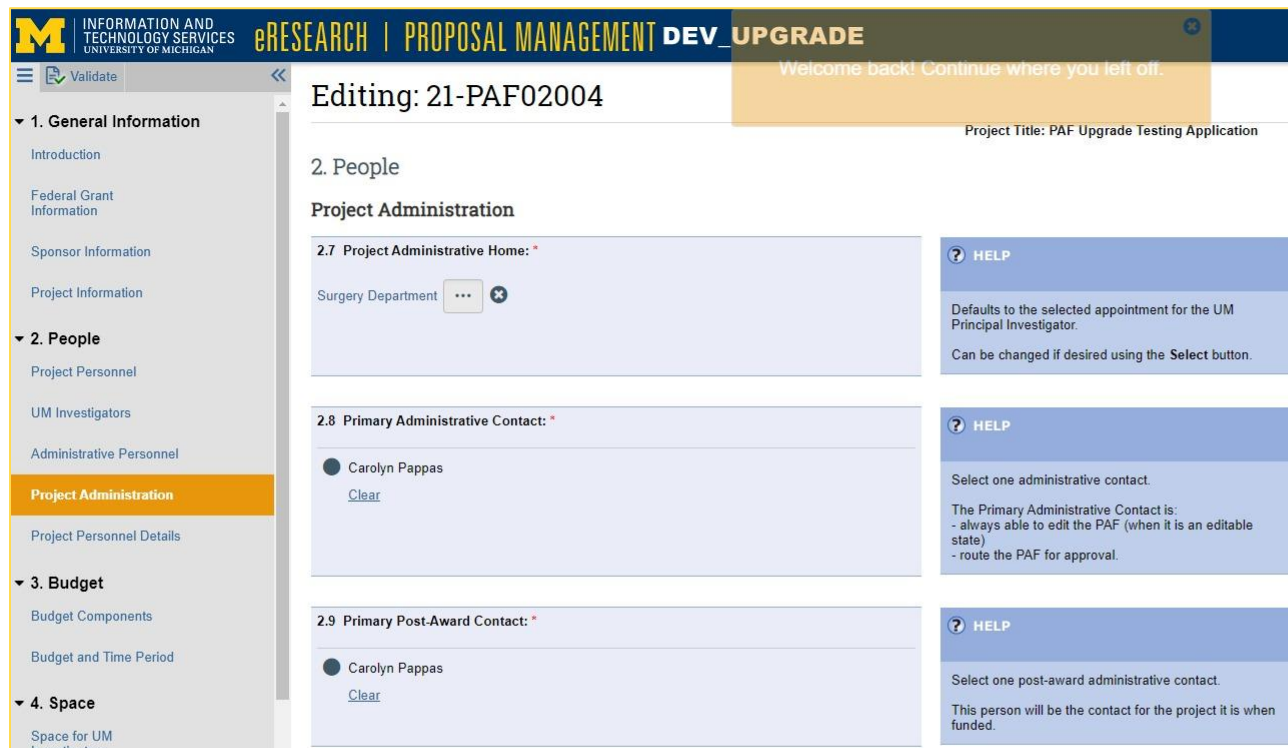
[Clear](#)

HELP

Please identify whether you are routing a proposal for external funding, a contract/funding agreement that ORSP must negotiate, or both. For help in selecting the appropriate response, please visit ORSP's webpage on how to answer eResearch PAF Question 1.2.

Exit Save Continue

Continue where you left off



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Validate

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Welcome back! Continue where you left off.

Project Title: PAF Upgrade Testing Application

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- Introduction
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2. People

- Project Personnel
- UM Investigators
- Administrative Personnel
- Project Administration**
- Project Personnel Details

3. Budget

- Budget Components
- Budget and Time Period

4. Space

- Space for UM

2. People

Project Administration

2.7 Project Administrative Home: *

Surgery Department ... ✕

2.8 Primary Administrative Contact: *

Carolyn Pappas

[Clear](#)

2.9 Primary Post-Award Contact: *

Carolyn Pappas

[Clear](#)

HELP

Defaults to the selected appointment for the UM Principal Investigator.
Can be changed if desired using the **Select** button.

HELP

Select one administrative contact.
The Primary Administrative Contact is:
- always able to edit the PAF (when it is an editable state)
- route the PAF for approval.

HELP

Select one post-award administrative contact.
This person will be the contact for the project it is when funded.

- The system remembers where you last were in an application.



Navigate Training Update

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Chris DeVries, RAAC Project Manager

Instructor-Led Courses

On Pause

- Fundamentals Course
- Advanced Budgeting Courses

Virtual Learning Pilots

- Budgeting Basics - Nov/Dec 2020
 - Participants identified from cancelled Spring BB and Fundamentals
 - Pilot course size limited to 15
- Uniform Guidance Cost Principles
 - Pilot course scheduled for Feb 2021

Webinars

Past Sessions

- Recording and materials available online

Upcoming Session:

- Subrecipient Invoice Approvals in M-Pathways
 - Thursday, October 29 at 11:00 am
 - Register by Wednesday, October 28, 2020 at 12:00 pm.

<https://orsp.umich.edu/training-workshops/navigate-webinars>

E-ssentials eLearning Modules

Reminder! eLearning Modules [Available](#)

- Cost Transfer
- Award Modification
- Financial Monitoring
- Effort Certification
- Understanding Effort
- Proposal Prep & Submission
- Pre-Close Out Analysis
- Cost of All Kinds
- Cost Share
- Project Close Out
- Financial Status Report
- UG Cost Principles
- Stewardship

RA Professional Development Resources

Research Administrator Competencies & Resources
Available on the Navigate Website!

https://orsp.umich.edu/sites/default/files/resource-download/ra_competencies_072820.pdf



RAMP↑ Mentoring Program - On Pause

- 6th cohort ended July 2020
- Evaluation of program to consider addressing mentoring needs virtually

Navigate Program

Questions? Comments?

Please email the Navigate Program Team at: navigate-research@umich.edu





Professional Development Update

October 27, 2020

Research Administrators' Network (RAN) Meeting

Chris DeVries, RAAC Project Manager

Professional Development Update

- NCURA
- SRAI
- NORDP
- U-M Research Administration
Forum

National Council of University Research Administrators (NCURA)



NCURA Region IV

- Region IV Spring Meeting
 - April 25-28, 2021 in Minneapolis, MN

Go to ncuraregioniv.com for more information

NCURA Workshops

- Financial Research Administration
 - March 15 & 16, 2021
- Pre-Award Research Administration
 - March 18 & 19, 2021

Go to ncura.edu for more information

National Organization of Research Development Professionals (NORDP)



National Organization of
Research Development Professionals

Great Lakes Regional Meeting

- Rescheduled from November 2020 to late winter.

NORDP National Meeting

- Planned for early May 2021.
- Call for abstracts will be issued soon.

Go to nordpnews.org or nordp.org for more information

Society of Research Administrators International (SRAI)



Midwest Section

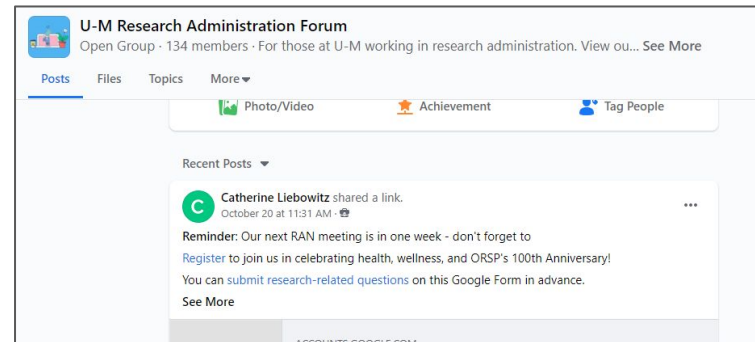
- Joint section meeting with Western Section
- May 2-5, 2021 in Phoenix, AZ.

Go to

srainternational.org/michiganchapter/about-michigan-chapter or email msragroup@gmail.com.

U-M Research Administration Forum

- Our peer-to-peer information sharing forum is **live on Workplace**.
- Although Workplace is a Facebook product:
 - No Facebook account is required.
 - Workplace **does not link** to your Facebook account.
- Share tips and tricks, announcements, job postings, etc.



UMOR Staff Awards

- David Mulder
- Teresa Herrick
- Jane Sierra
- Michael Hess

UMOR Staff Award – David Mulder

- David has a twin brother.
- David won the Cub Scout Pinewood Derby in third grade.
- David had to be saved from falling into a dyke in Amsterdam.
- David once performed with the actor who played Poseidon (“Release the Kraken!”) in *Clash of the Titans*.



David Mulder

UMOR Staff Award – Teresa Herrick

- Teresa has a cat named Jaws who loves to make Zoom cameos.
- Teresa designed a playground and wrote a grant to fund it.
- Teresa once traveled to China and Hong Kong with 39 undergraduates.
- Teresa was in ROTC and can repel buildings and tear down a rifle.



Teresa Herrick

UMOR Staff Award – Jane Sierra

- Jane loves fantasy books. She was first introduced to the genre as a pre-teen with the *Dragonriders of Pern* series.
- Jane had a short stint in amateur boxing until her nose was broken in a fight.
- Jane's COVID stress relief involves making masks and crocheting.



Jane Sierra

UMOR Staff Award – Michael Hess

- Michael likes to travel and has even flown a plane alone.
- Michael provides technical expertise to research projects in the School of Information and Michigan Medicine.
- Michael has helped to build and maintain 20 different research projects across campus.



Michael Hess



Closing Remarks

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Research Administrators' Network (RAN) Meeting

Thank you for attending RAN

Thank you for joining us today

Look for our follow-up survey

Save the Date! The first RAN of 2021 will be Thursday February 25th

Celebrate with colleagues by staying on-line for the **UMOR Staff Recognition Awards**, which will begin shortly